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ALAN GALE: 'This was taken from the top of the new flats in Victoria Way, Charlton.'

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Shame the area can't offer more for its young

AS a concerned mother, I am alarmed at the lack of social provision in Greenwich for the adults and young people of this borough. Coming from North London to the South East with my son, it is a huge shock to that these are not in place. Apart from the many chicken shops which encourage people to eat and get fat, the pubs or the open fields where people gather or the young men play football and drink, there is absolutely nothing here. It would be nice to have a cinema, bowling club, roller and/or an ice skating rink locally for the residents, not only to socialise but as another form of exercise. Since moving here two years ago this August I am still quite isolated and crave entertainment other than TV. My son he makes regular trips to North London to socialise with his friends and often makes the long journey to Alexander Palace to ice skate. When these trips occur I cannot go to sleep until his returns. It's a real shame that such a lovely area cannot offer more for its young people

and families who I am sure would value it. If such facilities were available, I am sure that my son would not make the regular and long journey to Haringey or Islington to skate and have fun. Such facilities would also enable him to make new friends and help him to settle in the area.

I Johnson, Plumstead

● A council spokesperson said: "We are sorry to hear that your son is having to travel over the river to have fun as there are a wealth of activities on offer for young people in the royal borough during term time, after school and during the school holidays. Since April 2012, Charlton Athletic Community Trust (CACT) has been commissioned to run activities across the royal borough for young people who live, work, or attend school here. They deliver a range of activities with sessions available in each area every week. Information on activities can be found at www.young-greenwich.org. Additionally, the Royal Greenwich Summer Programme provides short courses and activities for young people through Futureversity during July and August. This year's programme has

now finished, but further information can be found at www.futureversity.org/greenwich. Greenwich Leisure Limited also run a range of activities for adults and children at their many leisure centres and libraries across the royal borough. Visit www.gll.org for full details

You can also see the What's On section of Scene in GT which should be delivered to you each week. This includes events for all ages and you can contact the Families Information Service who can provide information, support and activities for children up to 18 years old (or up to 25 years old for disabled children and children with a learning disability). Call 020 8921 6921, email fis@royalgreenwich.gov.uk or visit www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/fis
The royal borough's Playground to Podium legacy programme has seen more than £4m in improvements at local parks, open spaces and schools enabling both adults and children to enjoy modern accessible sporting facilities while Greenwich Get Active supports people of all ages to improve their health through sports and other activities. Visit www.greenwichgetactive.com

ROYAL BOROUGH MEETINGS

THE following meetings take place at the Town Hall, Wellington Street, unless stated otherwise. --

September 10 - Eltham & Kidbrooke area planning committee, 6.30pm, Eltham Centre, 2 Archery Road,
Borough-wide housing panel, 7pm, Public Hall, Town Hall, Woolwich
September 11 - Social inclusion scrutiny, 7pm, committee room 4

Avery Hill & Coldharbour local housing panel - selection (time/venue tbc)
September 16 - licensing sub-committee B, 6pm committee room 6
Healthier Communities & Older People Scrutiny Panel, 6.30pm, council chamber
Woolwich and Thamesmead area

planning committee, 6.30pm
September 17 - Greenwich area planning committee, 6.30pm, council chamber
Cabinet, 7pm, rooms 4&5
September 18 - Licensing sub committee C, 5pm, Committee Room 6
September 18 - Glyndon & West Plumstead local housing panel, 7pm, Glyndon Community Centre

More information on 020 8921 5130 or at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings

All meeting dates and times are subject to change.

We would advise you to check before you travel.

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Refurbished library reopens



BACK AND RARING TO SERVE: Plumstead library reopens with a cake, cut by Cllr Miranda Williams and (inset) young children meet the Big Blue BookStart Bear

YOUNG readers turned out to meet the Big Blue BookStart Bear last Monday, when Plumstead library reopened after refurbishment.

They were entertained as part of a special Baby Rhyme Time session which had the young children singing and dancing.

Greenwich Leisure Limited, which runs the library services on behalf of the royal borough, offered special launch day promotions.

There were flowers and a book token for the first person who borrowed a book and there was a ceremonial cutting of a reopening cake to mark the occasion, under the new glass-domed roof.

by Ian Lamont

Free refreshments were provided, including home-made cakes baked by GLL staff.

A selection of stalls with food, made by the library's community outreach groups, were available, giving visitors the chance to sample South Asian and Nepalese delicacies.

Film fans were able to enjoy week-long DVD offers of rent one, get one free.

Cllr Miranda Williams, the royal borough's cabinet member for culture and creative industries, said: "We are committed to improving library services across the borough and the completion of the

refurbishment at Plumstead is a great example of this.

"Our libraries are an important hub for the local community, offering much more than books and DVDs.

"They are a vital source of support for local people in many aspects of their lives, from job search to reading groups, and from study aid to leisure activities.

"That is why the borough has completed its first phase of a £1m investment to upgrade the public's PCs in libraries.

"This has resulted in the complete replacement of 270 People's Network PCs and the installation of new software, printers and scanners across all libraries."

Funeral service for former councillor Alec Miles

THE funeral of former Royal Borough of Greenwich councillor Alec Miles will take place on Friday (September 12).

He died on Wednesday August 27. He was elected as ward councillor for Well Hall in 1982 and then for Deansfield in 1986, where he served until 2002.

Cllr Miles served on various

committees including area planning (1999), community safety (2000), the council's executive (1993-97), leisure services (1982-85 and 1988-92) and policy and resources sub-committee (1983-1997).

His funeral will be at 10am on Friday at West Chapel, Eltham Crematorium, Crown Woods Way, Eltham London, SE9 2AZ.

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● For further information and to register visit www.biglondonenergyswitch.org.uk or call the council on 020 8921 5100.

Free classes for hard of hearing

GREENWICH Community College is running lipreading and managing hearing loss classes start at Burrage Grove SE18 7LJ on Wednesday September 24 from 10am-12 noon or at Greenwich Park, SE10 8QB from Friday September 26 from 10 am-12 noon. Classes are free to those with hearing loss. Enrol online @ www.gcc.ac.uk, in person at Greenwich Park Centre (for both classes) or by calling 020 8858 2211.

Fundraisers trek for Alzheimer's

A WOMAN from Blackheath has been walking home from her job at Lloyds Banking Group in the City in preparation for walking 100 kilometres across the Sahara Desert for the Alzheimer's Society.

Lucy Wharmby, 24, is one of 35 people in a team from her bank who will be trekking across the unforgiving terrain of the world's hottest desert from October 31 to November 9.

Having been chosen from hundreds of staff who applied in a rigorous process which involved putting together a business plan, they aim to raise £140,000 in total for the bank's partner charity, Alzheimer's Society.

Lucy, who does much of her training at the weekend, has raised an estimated £4,000, including from a charity ball she is staging at Greenwich Yacht Club on Saturday (September 13).

Doing the Ben Nevis Midnight Challenge last year, again for Alzheimer's, helped her cause when she applied to take part in her bank's nominated event this year.

She managed last year's climb in the dark in seven hours. "It was horrific weather," said Lucy. "We started at 10pm and it was not good. Then it snowed for 30 minutes to the summit – in June."

Now, going to the other extreme, she will be walking in searing heat across the ever-changing Chegaga Dunes landscape.

"I'm walking home from work and now just starting to walk to work as well, which is 6.5 miles," she said. "The guys who will be leading us have pretty much told us to get used to walking on consecutive days."

Weekends driving out to Kent and then walking will be stepped up with a weekend in the Peak District this month as she prepares to raise money for a charity close to her heart.

"My nan is suffering with it and I've had it in my family previously as well," said Lucy. "I think many people have had someone they know affected by it."

With the bank funding the trip, all the money raised goes to the charity.

For tickets to the charity ball, priced £40, including raffle, auction and a late evening casino, email lucy.wharmby@lloydsbank.co.uk

Another borough resident raising money for the same cause is Andrea Lewis, 33, from Greenwich, who will run the Oxford Marathon in memory of her grandfather.

He cared for his wife, who had dementia, which affects one in three people over 65 - 800,000 people in the UK have a form of the disease.

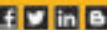
She said: "The work that the Alzheimer's Society does is really important – it helps and supports not only the people with dementia but their carers and family too."



MIDNIGHT ORDEAL: Lucy Wharmby, left, climbing Ben Nevis. She will now trek along the Sahara



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New scheme dishes up free school meals for primary pupils



FREE MEALS: Pupils at Charlton Manor serve each other - and for those aged five to seven meals will now be free

THOUSANDS of young schoolchildren in the borough started the new school year with a daily hot lunchtime meal – at no cost to their families.

It's part of a new scheme giving every five to seven-year-old in England's 16,500 schools a free dinner, saving families up to £400 a year.

Some schools have struggled to deliver their free daily meals, but in the royal borough all the arrangements were put in place well in advance.

Cllr John Fahy, the council's deputy leader

and cabinet member for children's services, said: "In Greenwich we have long recognised the importance of school meals in encouraging children to eat healthily.

"The national expansion of free school meals to include all infant pupils will be welcomed by parents, helping to take the pressure off their family budgets.

"Our schools and caterers work hard to ensure the meals offered are cooked from fresh ingredients each day. The benefits for pupils are shown through

improved concentration and performance at school, all helping to give them the best possible start."

Parents and carers of older children may be eligible to claim free school meals if they are on certain benefits.

● **For further information visit www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/schoolmeals or call 020 8921 2530/2570.**

● **Charlton Manor School is holding a food conference on September 19, looking at the new requirement to teach cooking. Speakers include Raymond Blanc.**

Rigby tribute

DRUMMER Lee Rigby was one of 17 servicemen and women honoured in a special service last Monday. The fusillier's name was added to a roll of fallen heroes on a stone memorial during a service at the National Memorial Arboretum in Staffordshire. The memorial commemorates 16,000 service personnel who have died on duty since the Second World War - whether during active service, training or because of terrorism.

Brand helps hospice

COMIC Jo Brand will join fundraisers at the third annual Greenwich & Bexley Community Hospice Moonlit Walk on Saturday (Sept 13). A 40-strong team of nurses and staff are among hundreds registered to do the 10km walk in their pyjamas to support the hospice. The walk starts and finishes in the Broadway Shopping Centre, Bexleyheath at 10pm after live music from the Rock Choir, a dance warm up from Jazzercise and jokes from Brand. Registration costs £15 per person in advance or £25 on the night. For details ring 020 8319 9230 or visit www.communityhospice.org.uk

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Turn of the tide



HISTORIC PORT: the Tectona and the Atyla are among the tall ships which drew crowds (inset) to the Maritime Greenwich riverside

by *Ian Lamont*

HUNDREDS of thousands of people were expected to have visited the royal borough over the five-day Tall Ships Festival, which began on Friday.

It was the biggest number of visitors since the area was an Olympic host borough for the Olympics and Paralympics in 2012.

Barrie Kelly, chief executive of Visit Greenwich, said: "Demand for information through our channels and interest in the area tripled on the first day. "It's been very busy. The hotels are very nearly full. Demand and interest is clearly the largest it has been this summer."

"The borough has 18 million visitors a year, generating £1.1 billion for the economy and supporting 14,000 jobs and we're confident we can grow that. We had detailed plans

and Tall Ships is one of many events.

"One of our key messages is that Greenwich is a two-night destination, if you really want to see everything."

People were able to take advantage of a wide range of free events including parades and flotillas on the river and a packed programme of onshore events.

Street entertainers including music, dance, theatre and fireworks plus exhibitions and family activities and parades were all put on to entertain tourists.

Cllr Miranda Williams, cabinet member for culture and creative industries, said: "With its maritime and royal history, and many open spaces, Greenwich has many unique attractions and has come of age as a world-class destination for tourists."

"With many more hotel bedroom spaces than

after the Olympics in 2012 and with transport links, including the Crossrail development, improving all the time we hope people will be inspired to come back and explore the many attractions the royal borough has to offer."

BUSTLING STREETS: above, staff at the Rivington Grill inspect their own 'ship' made of props placed around the restaurant facade, left, performers entertained the crowds in town centre squares and promenades



for tourism



CREST OF A WAVE: people went down to the riverfront to give the tall ships a warm welcome

Business unusual for traders

BUSINESSES across the borough are already reporting a successful weekend's trade thanks to the influx of visitors to the tall ships.

The Pilot inn and restaurant on the Greenwich Peninsula was doing brisk business during the festival. Deputy manager Kamila Jelonek said: "All our 10 rooms were fully booked because of the Tall Ships event. Usually we're only fully booked when there is something big on at the O2. We decorated the pub for the event and put up bunting and flags."

The Rivington Grill in Greenwich High Road built a 'ship' around the front facade of the restaurant, dressing it as an on-board dining terrace. Manager Jack Mansfield said: "We've had a lot of good feedback about it and it's proving very popular with visitors. Business started to build up from the middle of last week, and the first night we had a party of

Americans for dinner, and today we had a group of Germans for lunch."

At the Tudor Barn in Well Hall Pleasance, Eltham, assistant manager Tanya Hales said: "We've had people enquiring about our special offer of a two-for-one deal on the two-course Tudor Feast if customers mention the Tall Ships Festival, meaning a bill of £32 instead of £64, and we are expecting a lot more customers as people start to arrive in the borough for the festival."

The Dial Arch put and restaurant on the Woolwich Arsenal, and close to the riverside where some of the tall ships are moored, has been packed since Friday. Manager Freya Clarke said: "It's been very busy, and we've been fully booked since Friday. Most of our customers are visitors to the town,

including a lot of Americans, and they are really enjoying the festival."

Near the Dial Arch the Cornerstone Café, in Major Draper Street on the Royal Arsenal, proprietor Julia Stone said: "It started getting a lot busier than usual last Thursday. All our customers seem to be new faces, including a lot of people from the tall ships and those who have been setting things up for the festival."

Other hot food outlets have also been reporting an upswing in business. Heap's Sausages in Nevada Street, Greenwich, Manager Enzo Carbonara said: "We are getting all our usual customers at the moment, but we expect to be a lot busier than normal as more visitors arrive. On Saturday we started making more sausages in case we started to run out."

by Dick Townsend-Smith

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SIBLING RIVALRY: Rosie Suharto, 19, and brother Luke, 21, were on different ships, below, Luke and some of his new shipmates are glad to be back on dry land



Crews control

Trainee shipmates make friends, conquer fears and take the helm

by Ian Lamont and Simon Banks

CONQUERING a fear of water, taking the helm of a tall ship and being on a rival boat to a sibling were among the thrills for Greenwich trainees on board.

Rosie Suharto, 19, came off the Dar Młodzieży in Greenwich and was whisked, by her mother, straight to Woolwich to meet brother Luke off the Gulden Leeuw.

The Plumstead residents spent the weekend sharing their different experiences.

History graduate Luke, 21, said: "I most enjoyed being at the helm. To steer the boat properly was quite a task to get it to the right degree."

"I met loads of different people from different nations. I'm exhausted. We worked long hours."

The ships were involved in a race and judged in different classes, then cruised the rest of the way.

Rosie, 19, studying English language at Kent University, said: "The Polish crew didn't want to settle for anything less than first in the race. We were tannoyed every two hours in Polish and had to get our new Polish crew friends to translate."

"The Polish are very keen on presentation, so we did a lot of cleaning and learned how to tie knots and pulled a few ropes, which was hard to do quickly."

As she made new friends, her ship finished first in class A (biggest ships) and second overall at the time of going to press, before the results according to various criteria were confirmed.

The pair were on different ships because Luke had a place first and Rosie was initially on the reserve list. Both said they might look to sail again, but on something other than a tall ship.

Thirty of those on the



**ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
— SECTION 247
PROPOSED STOPPING UP OF PARTS OF
THE HIGHWAY IN PEARTREE WAY**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order under section 247 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, entitled the Royal Borough of Greenwich (Stopping Up of Highways) (No. 7) (Peartree Way) Order 2014.
2. The general effect of the Order would be to:
 - (a) authorise the stopping up of sections of the highway of Peartree Way, north of West Parkside, adjacent to carriageway and including the existing running head at the northern extremity of Peartree Way and
 - (b) revoke the stopping up provisions introduced for the same development in Peartree Way in April 2014,
 so as to enable the development described in the Schedule to this Notice to take place. The term "stopping-up" means that these areas of highway would cease to be public highway.
3. If the Order is made, the stopping-up would only be authorised in order to enable the development described in the Schedule to this Notice to be carried out in accordance with the planning permission granted to Greenwich Millennium Village Ltd on 5th December 2011. The planning application references are 13/0634/0 and 13/0654/0 and the planning permission decision reference is 13/0022/0.
4. A copy of the proposed Order and the relevant plans are available for inspection by any person, free of charge, during normal office hours until the expiry of these normal office hours on 1st October 2014 at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ. These documents may be obtained free of charge on written application to the Council at the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1V 2NX, quoting reference: PCL/SUDNCL/1000001744.
5. Any person who wishes to object to the making of the proposed Order should send a statement in writing by 7th October 2014, specifying the grounds on which an objection is made, to the Council at the following address: the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1V 2NX, quoting reference: PCL/SUDNCL/1000001744.
6. Persons objecting to the proposed Order should be aware that in view of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, this Council would be legally obliged to make any comments received in response to this notice, open to public inspection.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
The Woolwich Centre,
35 Wellington Street,
SE18 6HQ

Dated 9th September 2014
published by: 1000001744/001

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH

SCHEDULE
(DESCRIPTION OF DEVELOPMENT — see paragraph 2 above)
Erection of residential units, an energy centre, open space, hard and soft landscaping and associated car parking adjacent to Peartree Way.



CREW: Those aboard the Gulden Leeuw on arrival back in the borough



Tall ships drop anchor for Sophie

HER Royal Highness The Countess of Wessex called in on the UK Sail Training fleet and met trainees on the training vessel John Laing on Friday (September 5). The Countess is patron of the Association of Sail Training Organisations and joined the young people for a short sail down the Thames from HMS President to Canary Wharf, where most of the training fleet is berthed. The Countess also met young crew members on board the Jubilee Sailing Trust's tall ship the Tenacious which is fully accessible. Association chairman James Stevens introduced the Countess to the trainees who sailed from Cornwall to London. He said: "I was delighted that our patron met many of the trainees who were on board our Sail Training vessels. I'm also thrilled she was able to congratulate our tall ship skippers - not only for achieving great results in the race but also for the vital work they do providing challenge and adventure for young people."



SOPHIE SO GOOD: the Countess takes a stroll round the Tenacious where she spoke to young crew members

WE'RE COMING HOME: The crew from the Dar Młodzieży at the crew parade. Below, from left, Mihlali Sidney, Saffia Rose Morris, Samantha Cable, captain Arjen Toller and Alexander Dominguez



MARCHING WITH PRIDE: trainees greet the crowds in Greenwich Town Centre on Saturday afternoon



Gulden Leeuw were sponsored by Berkeley Homes. Woolwich's Destiny Gooch, 17, described her time on the ship as "challenging - it was really hard, but it has been a great time. I learnt how to unravel the sails after climbing up the rigging and was working with the chef and doing all different jobs. I think we came second at the finish line but fifth overall."

Studying chemistry, engineering, biology and physics at UTC, she said she had applied because such chances do not come along very often.

"Just to have it on your CV is great. It was great but stressful too and working with the ropes is really hard on your hands."

George Coward, 20, an apprentice in Woolwich also on the Gulden Leeuw, said: "It was unforgettable. It is going to be in my head for ever. It was good to meet new people and to see that for everything to work a team needs to work together."

"If I got the chance I'd do it again straight away. The whole experience, of the atmosphere and the crew was exceptional."

Mihlali Sidney, 17, from Thamesmead, said: "I learned so much and I conquered my fear of water! I lasted more than 10 minutes on the ship so I feel I did something really good for myself. I did every job on board apart from the engine room. What I liked most was steering and navigating."

All plain sailing thanks to a cool crew of red jackets

A SPECIAL crew of volunteers helped to ensure it was all smooth sailing on land during the tall ships festival.

Around 100 event volunteers were specially trained to help the thousands of visitors who came for the five-day event.

They gave directions, information leaflets about the ships and told visitors where to pick up event brochures.

The stewards were distinctive in their regatta red polo shirts and fleeces and were stationed at the regatta's four main venues in Maritime Greenwich, Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, Greenwich Peninsula and Wood Wharf at Canary Wharf.

They had been recruited by the Volunteer Centre Greenwich and underwent a two-day training session which focussed on customer service skills.

The centre also trained a further 70 volunteers as ships liaison officers for the event. They were handpicked volunteers with special skills or an interest in sailing who provided a ship to shore link for the tall ships' crews.

Sixty-year-old retired restaurant director Kevin Harrison was one of 15 volunteer team leaders.

Kevin, who was a team leader for the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games, said: "I enjoy volunteering and I love ships and boats. I'm not a sailor but I go on lots of cruises! There's so much to see and do in Greenwich and Woolwich and I love to show people what we have on offer. The regatta is a great opportunity for Greenwich and for local people to see some of the wonderful vessels that are around."

Former human resources director Theresa Pini was also a Greenwich Olympic volunteer and said: "It was an amazing experience and when the tall ships came I volunteered again. I've done lots of volunteering through my work but I wanted to do something where I live. It's about

giving something back to my community. I'm proud of where I live and I'm proud to be a Londoner, it's a fantastic city and during the Olympics the showcasing of Greenwich in particular was really good. It's about getting people to come back - they might have come to Greenwich on a school trip but forgotten what we have."

Stephanie Pinner from the Volunteers Centre explained the volunteers who get a certificate of achievement, also get to keep their uniforms. "Being a volunteer for the tall ships regatta will provide them with an experience they wouldn't get anywhere else," she said.

● **For further information on volunteering opportunities in the borough visit www.greenwichvolunteers.org.uk or call 020 8853 1331.**



FRIENDLY GUIDE: Bill Moss hands out information in Woolwich

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WHEEL MEET AGAIN: Chris and Pam Durrant were allowed special access to the top deck of the ship where they posed for a picture by the ship's wheel with crew member Pawal Sigurski, 21, from Poland.



THEY didn't quite sail the seven seas - but they came from far and wide to see the tall ships.

Greenwich and Woolwich town centres were abuzz with local people, visitors and tourists who had heard about the Royal Greenwich Tall Ships Festival and were keen to hit the decks.

Emily Calascione from New Zealand was in Greenwich on Friday for the start of the festival and said: "I came to visit family and see the tall ships. It has been really nice so far, I have seen so many colourful people dressed up and with funny moustaches who are enjoying themselves too. We are looking forward to enjoying the music later. I want to get involved and sing some sea shanties and then see the fireworks."

Roger Bond from Torbay, Devon, was with his wife Shirley. He said: "We have had a lovely day so far, we came down from Devon and have been enjoying all the stalls and attractions and looking out onto the Thames at what has been a beautiful sight so far."

Brian Fazackerley, from Witham, Essex, said: "It has been an exciting day, a great atmosphere and worth coming down for. We really hope to get onto a tall ship today for what should be a great experience."

There was lots of interest around the Dar Mlodziezy, a Polish ship which carried many of the young sailors who were sponsored for the festival.

Peter Pablo, also from Poland, who works aboard the Dar Mlodziezy travelled with his crew to Greenwich. He said: "I have enjoyed the experience, the young people from Greenwich were very good and we were happy they enjoyed their time on board. I have loved the sights, London is beautiful and the atmosphere has been special."

Michalina Lozinska, from New Cross,

by Simon Banks

said: "I am originally from Poland so I am looking forward to going on the Dar Mlodziezy. It has been a lovely day so far, the atmosphere is great everyone is enjoying their Friday."

Chris Durrant and his wife Pam who came from North London, were allowed special access to the top deck of the Polish ship which is usually closed off to the public.

He said: "We have had a great day today, the weather has been perfect and we are glad it hasn't rained. The Dar Mlodziezy is a beautiful ship and it has been a pleasure to come aboard. We will be going to Woolwich later to see even more tall ships before coming back to Greenwich to enjoy the fireworks, so it's a perfect day out."

Vladislavs Zeltous is from Russia but lives in Camberwell. He came with partner Wakako Sakar and her son and said: "We have had such a nice day. English people are so friendly and the atmosphere is so nice. We are going to stay by the Cutty Sark today and spot some more ships."

Greenwich residents Natasha Poirier and Karina Bermudez brought friend Isabelle Begot from France.

Natasha told GT: "We are having a good time, so far we have seen a few ships on the Thames and might try and get onto one soon. I heard there are some enormous fish in the Old Royal Naval College that will play a part in a show later on too, so I will keep an eye out for that too."

Theresa Kayate, from East London said: "There is a lot of anticipation around, everyone is excited to see the ships come up and I expect the fireworks will be a beautiful sight."

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Let's hit the decks!

Visitors scramble on board to explore tall ships



POLISH PRINCESS: the 108m, steel, full-rigged ship whose name translates to 'The Gift of Youth' was a star attraction



EXCELLENT EVENT: That was the verdict from Russell Caughey, who teaches photography in Belfast. "It's all very well organised. This morning I've been up the river on a ship and it was really calm, and I want to come back here for another visit."



ATTENSHUN: Bill Bridgeworth and Kathleen Ryder from Eltham, with soldier Alan Rowe from the 44th East Sussex Regiment of Foot living history group. "There's a really good atmosphere here, with lots of people and lots of attractions for the children. There was very good publicity leading up to it as well."



AYE AYE: above left, Capt Jack Sparrow meets visitors in Cutty Sark Gardens, right, youngsters have a go at climbing the rigging, above, Isabelle Begot from France, came with friends Natasha Poirier and Karina Bermudez who live in Greenwich



FAMILY OUTING: Dolapo Abimbola from Greenwich with Danni and Made, both seven, and Bare, three. "It's good that it's bringing people together, and there's lots of activities for the children," she said.



UNEXPECTED: "I wasn't expecting all the attractions on the shoreline, as well as the Tall Ships," said Lynn Lumsden, who cycled from Erith with husband Grant, son Andrew, 11, and their friend Pete Stockford. "It's normally very quiet on the Woolwich cycle path, but the festival has brought it back to life."

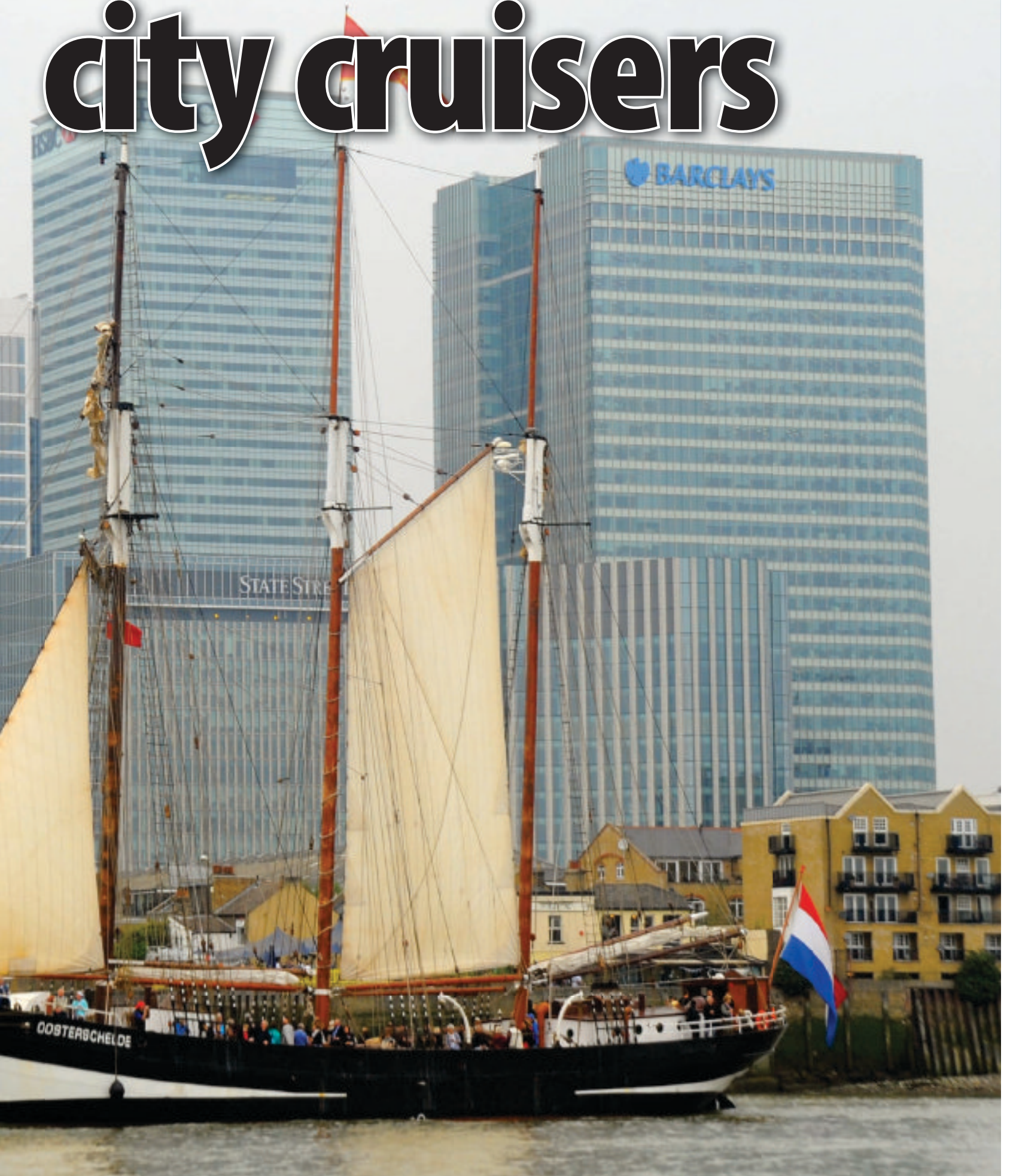
VIP VESSELS: the Rolfe Judd barge, below, the Teda and the Atyla drift past the Old Royal Naval College, while the Jantje heads for the Royal Arsenal Woolwich. Main pic, the Oosterschelde in the shadow of Canary Wharf



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SCENE

Tall ships visitors join the cast for outdoor performances





VISITORS to the Royal Greenwich Tall Ships Festival immersed themselves in special outdoor performances over the weekend.

Crowds were drawn into music and drama productions staged in the streets as part of the programme of entertainment.

Members of Sarruga, a Catalan street theatre group used evening visitors to the Old Royal Naval College as a backdrop for 'Peixos', a stunning underwater spectacle featuring brightly coloured fish and magical sea creatures.

Over on the historical Royal Arsenal site audiences were invited to be part of the production for Mother Courage and her Children.

The series of promenade performances over the weekend saw audiences engage with professional actors and community actors against the backdrop of the Royal Arsenal site.

This adaptation of Bertolt Brecht's play was directed by Sophie Austin and produced by Greenwich and Lewisham Young People's Theatre and the Teatro Vivo community theatre company. Produced as part of the 100 year commemoration of the start of World War I, it tells a story of loss, courage and cruelty in 1939 through drama, poetry and song.

The play continues with performances over the next two weekends with performances as follows:

Friday September 12 at 7.30pm
Saturday September 13 at 2pm & 6pm
Sunday September 14 at 2pm & 6pm
Friday September 19 at 7.30pm
Saturday September 20 at 2pm & 6pm
and Sunday September 21 at 2pm & 6pm.

Tickets are £12 (£7 concs). The hour and half performance starts at the Royal Arsenal Gate in Beresford Square, Woolwich. For further information and tickets visit www.glypt.co.uk call in The Tramshed, Woolwich New Road or call 020 8854 1316

STREET STAGE: left, visitors are enthralled by giant fish in Greenwich while the audience spur on the actors in Woolwich

Greenwich and Docklands Festival director makes his mark at Great North Run

THE director of the Greenwich and Docklands International Festival has been bringing his artistic vision to yet another spectacular ceremony - the Great North Run in Newcastle.

Bradley Hemmings directed a ceremony to celebrate the one-millionth finish at last

week's half marathon, the largest half marathon in the country.

The race's opening ceremony took place in the North East of England on Sunday September 7 with a special ceremony on the River Tyne last Thursday to mark the one-millionth finish. Impressive elements

included a giant floating sculpture, video mapping, aerial performances and mass choreography.

Londoner Bradley was artistic director for the London 2012 Paralympics and has been GDIF director since he established London's leading free performing arts festival in 1996.



Audience participation

WHAT'S ON

Discover how historic ships are saved

A FASCINATING exhibition has been taking place on the lawns of the Old Royal Naval College (ORNC) in Greenwich, which shows people how historic ships are restored and conserved.

The 'Then and Now' maritime restoration zone is a trade exhibition that promotes marine conservation, traditional maritime heritage skills, and shows how modern technology, design, construction and engineering support maritime heritage restoration projects. The event brings together historic and high-value vessel owners, skilled craftsmen, businesses, heritage organisations, training bodies and all those with an interest in Britain's maritime



GETTING SHIPSHAPE: trainees from the Shipshape Heritage Training project get to work on sail-making and mastwork. (Pics courtesy of the Sea Change Sailing Trust)

heritage and ship preservation. It is open today (Tuesday, September 9) between 9am and 4pm.

It is being hosted by the National Maritime Development Group (NMDG) in partnership with National Historic Ships UK (NHS). Exhibitors include the Marine

Conservation Society, Pioneer Sailing Trust, Chatham Rope Company, Mather & Smith Metalwork's, Steamship Freshspring Society, University of Greenwich, Thames Estuary Partnership, and Charlton Riverside Engineering for Sustainable Transport (CREST) Ltd.

Eltham Crematorium Joint Committee
Annual Return for the year ended 31/03/14
Notice of conclusion of the audit & right to inspect the
Annual Return

Section 14 of the Audit Commission Act 1998
Accounts and Audit (England) Regulations 2011 (SI 2011/817)

The audit of accounts for the Eltham Crematorium for the year ended 31st March 2014 has been concluded.

The Annual Return is available for inspection by any local government elector for Greenwich, Bexley and Dartford local authority areas on application to Amanda Anerville, Finance Manager, Chief Executive's Department, 3rd Floor, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, Woolwich, London SE18 6HQ.

Hard copies of the Annual Return will be provided to any local government elector for Greenwich, Bexley and Dartford local authority areas on payment of £1 for each copy.

Announcement made by: Amanda Anerville, Finance Manager

Date of announcement: 9th September 2014



The next issue of Greenwich Time is published on Tuesday September 16. To advertise call Gaynor on 020 8921 5033.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE LICENSING ACT 2003

Notice is given that **MICHAEL ANTHONY WREN** has applied for the **GRANT** of a Premises Licence for the following premises:

110 WESTMOUNT ROAD
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A record of the application may be inspected by appointment.

Interested parties may make representations to the Royal Borough of Greenwich on this application by no later than **30TH SEPTEMBER 2014**. Representations can be made in writing, by email or fax to the Licensing team, Community Safety & Environment, 4th Floor, Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, London SE18 6HQ. Tel: 020 8921 8018, Fax: 020 8921 8380, Email: licensing@royalgreenwich.gov.uk. Representations can only be made on the grounds of one of the four licensing objectives, namely:

- Protection of children from harm
- Prevention of Public nuisance
- Prevention of crime and disorder
- Public safety

Any person who makes a false statement in connection with an application is liable on summary conviction to a maximum fine of £5,000.

It is proposed that the following licensable activities will take place at the premises:

THE SALE OF ALCOHOL FOR CONSUMPTION ON AND OFF THE PREMISES

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH
The Greenwich (Free Loading Places) (No. 1) (Amendment No. 33) Order 2014
The Greenwich (Prohibition of Stopping Outside Schools) (Amendment No. 23) Order 2014

MILLENNIUM WAY SCHOOL KEEP CLEAR AND FLOYD ROAD LOADING BAY

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich on 8th September 2014 made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6 and 124 of and Part III of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended. The Orders will come into operation on 15th September 2014.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to:

- (a) increase the maximum period for which vehicles are permitted to load from 20 minutes to 40 minutes and introduce a no-return period of two hours in the goods vehicles loading bay on the north-west side of **Floyd Road**, situated immediately south-west of Cedar Place; and
- (b) provide 'school keep clear' restrictions that would apply 'at any time' in **Millennium Way**, the north-east side, from a point 6.10 metres north-west of the south-eastern kerb-line of the access road situated to the south-east of St Mary Magdalene C of E Primary School, extending south-eastward for a distance of 30.00 metres.

3. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Strategic Transportation on 020 8921 6114.

4. The Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders are available for inspection during normal office hours until the end of six weeks from the date on which the Orders were made, at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ.

5. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Orders or of any of the provisions contained therein on the grounds that they are not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, or that any requirement of that Act or of any instrument made under that Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks from the date on which the Orders were made, apply for that purpose to the High Court.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
 The Woolwich Centre,
 35 Wellington Street,
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Dated 9th September 2014
 (INTERNAL REF: 130000190309)



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ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
- SECTION 247
PROPOSED STOPPING UP OF THE
HIGHWAY - WARREN LANE

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order under section 247 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, entitled the Royal Borough of Greenwich (Stopping Up of Highways) (No. 7) (Warren Lane) Order 2014.

2. The general effect of the Order would be to authorise the stopping up of **Warren Lane** so as to enable the development known as **The Waterfront, Royal Arsenal, Woolwich** to take place. The term 'stopping-up' means that these areas of highway would cease to be public highway.

3. If the Order is made, the stopping-up would only be authorised in order to enable the provision of the development referred to in paragraph (2) above to be carried out in accordance with the planning permission granted to Greenwich Berkeley Homes (East Thames) Ltd on 19th June 2013 (reference is 11/0117/0) and the reserved planning approval given on 3rd July 2014 (reference 14/0604/0).

4. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Strategic Transportation on 020 8921 5889.

5. A copy of the proposed Order and the relevant plans are available for inspection by any person, free of charge, during normal office hours until the expiry of those normal office hours on 19th October 2014 at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ. These documents may be obtained free of charge on written application to the Council at the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1V 2NL, quoting reference PCL/250/04/CE/1000001750.

6. Any person who wishes to object to the making of the proposed Order should send a statement in writing by 7th October 2014, specifying the grounds on which any objection is made, to the Council at the following address: the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1V 2NL, quoting reference PCL/250/04/CE/1000001750.

7. Persons objecting to the proposed Order should be aware that in view of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, this Council would be legally obliged to make any comments received in response to this notice, open to public inspection.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
 The Woolwich Centre,
 35 Wellington Street,
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Dated 9th September 2014
 (INTERNAL REF: 13000075009)



ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH
The Greenwich (Abbey Wood) (Parking Places) (Amendment No. 4) Order 2014
The Greenwich (East Greenwich CPZ) (Parking Places) (Amendment No. 2) Order 2014
The Greenwich (New Eltham) (Parking Places) (No. 2) (Amendment No. 4) Order 2014
The Greenwich (Westcombe CPZ) (Parking Places) (Amendment No. 4) Order 2014
The Greenwich (Free Parking Places) (No. 5) (Amendment No. 4) Order 2014
The Greenwich (Free Loading Places) (No. 1) (Amendment No. 4) Order 2014
The Greenwich (Free Parking Places) (Disabled Persons) (Amendment No. 4) Order 2014
The Greenwich (Waiting and Loading Restriction) (Amendment No. 4) Order 2014
The Greenwich (Prohibition of Stopping Outside Schools) (Amendment No. 4) Order 2014

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 4, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be:

- (a) in **Hare Street**, on the south-west side, outside No. 37 Hare Street, to change hours of operation, maximum stay and no return period within the 11-metre loading bay so that on a Sunday the bay would operate between 7am and 8pm and on all days the maximum stay would be 20 minutes with no return for 2 hours;
- (b) in **Park Row**, to shorten a permit parking place by 4.7 metres on the north-east side, outside Nos. 1 to 16 Bernard Angell House and replace it with 'at any time' waiting restrictions;
- (c) in **Abbey Grove**, to shorten a permit parking place by approximately 8 metres on the north side, outside St Benedict RC Church and replace it with single yellow line 'controlled hours' waiting restrictions;
- (d) in **Gorda Road**, to shorten a permit parking place by 5 metres on the south-west side, outside No. 24 Gorda Road and replace it with single yellow line 'controlled hours' waiting restrictions;
- (e) in **Cambridge Green**, to shorten a permit parking place by 4 metres on the north side, outside No. 1 Cambridge Green and replace it with single yellow line 'controlled hours' waiting restrictions;
- (f) in **Mycenae Road**: (1) to remove three 25-metre sections of free parking space and replace them with permit holders parking space in the following locations: (a) outside No. 90 Mycenae Road; (b) opposite Nos. 73 and 75 Mycenae Road; and (c) opposite Nos. 57 and 59 Mycenae Road; (2) provide a 25-metre 'no stopping outside schools' restriction that would operate 'at any time' on the west side outside the entrance to The Greenwich Senior School; and (3) to change the hours of operation of a free parking place on the east side outside No. 99 Mycenae Road so that it operates between 9.30am and 4.30pm on Mondays to Saturdays inclusive and provide single yellow line 'controlled hours' waiting restrictions in the same location that would operate between 8.30am and 9.30am on Mondays to Saturdays inclusive;
- (g) to provide double yellow line 'at any time' waiting restrictions in the lengths of street referred to in the Schedule to this Notice; and
- (h) to make certain other changes to bring the present Orders in line with the on-street layout.

3. A copy of the proposed Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders are available for inspection during normal office hours until the end of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or, at the case may be, the Council decides not to make the Orders, at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ.

4. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Strategic Transportation on 020 8921 3983.

5. Any person who wishes to object to or make other representations about the proposed Orders should send a statement in writing by 30th September 2014, specifying the grounds on which any objection is made, to the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1V 2NL, quoting reference PCL/THD/CC/1000001947.

6. Persons objecting to the proposed Orders should be aware that in view of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, this Council would be legally obliged to make any comments received in response to this notice, open to public inspection.

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 35 Wellington Street,
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Dated 9th September 2014
 (INTERNAL REF: 130000190309)

Schedule - 'At any time' waiting restrictions

Allenby Road: both sides, for 10 metres west of Broadwater Road. **Gildersleeve Street**: the west and north sides, for 14.5 metres outside the eastern part of Habbers House. **Glenware Road**: the south-east side, for 10 metres either side of Greenhain Road. **Greenholm Road**: both sides, for 10 metres south-east of Glenware Road. **Kidbrooke Park Close**: both sides, for 10 metres north-east of Kidbrooke Park Road. **Kidbrooke Park Road**: the north-east side, for 5.8 metres north-west and 10 metres south-east of Kidbrooke Park Close. **Lenton Street**: both sides, for 20 metres south-west of Plumstead Road. **Woodhill**: the south-west side, for an additional 14 metres south-east of Lyford Street. **Woodland Terrace**: the south-east side, for an additional 13.7 metres north-east of Marjory Road.



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First Band A, followed by Band B both in priority date order. Those in Band C will then be considered in registration date order.

Please note that there will still be some properties with age restrictions so only people of this age group can apply for these.

BAND

- A** is for applicants in unsatisfactory housing, including people moving due to demolition and those underoccupying their homes.
- B** is for applicants the Royal Borough of Greenwich must prioritise according to the law, particularly homeless people, and others with an urgent need to move for medical or welfare reasons.
- C** is for all applicants on the housing register, including those that are in priority bands A and B.

How do I apply?

1

Get on the list

First, you've got to be on the housing waiting list to join the scheme. If you're not, register an application on line at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk

2

Find your applicant number

It will be on the letter you've already had from the Royal Borough of Greenwich about the new scheme. You'll need that number and the reference number of the property you're after, which will be on the advert.

3

Pick out your ideal property

by looking in *Greenwich Time* or regularly checking the website:

www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes

Click on your preference on the website. If you don't have a computer, you can always use one for free at either The Eltham or Woolwich Centre or a local library.

4

Apply in one of three ways

- Text bidding is now available and the number to use is 07786207913. For further information please see page 2, or
- Phone the 24-hour hotline 020 8921 4340. It's an automatic push-button system and calls will be charged at the normal local rate, or
- Via the Royal Borough of Greenwich's website www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes

The next edition of GreenwichHomes will be available on Wednesday 17 September 2014 at midday. Closing date for all applications for this issue is midnight on Sunday 14 September 2014.

24-hour hotline

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Anyone on the housing list can apply for these

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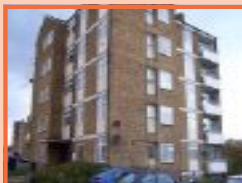
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Ref Number: 192086
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HOW TO BID FOR ADVERTISED PROPERTIES BY TEXT

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The property reference will be on the advert and your applicant number is on the letter we sent to you when you registered for housing.

A successful bid will look like this:

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Affordable Homes

Please note any Housing Association properties advertised in this way will have a higher rent charge



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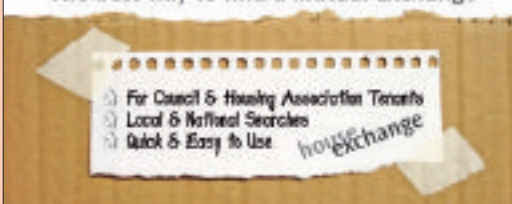


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- 5 bedroom to a 3 bedroom (or smaller) home

For more information contact the Project Team on:

020 8921 2671

Choice hotline 020 8921 4340

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IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ROYAL BOROUGH TENANTS WHO ARE MOVING

DON'T GET A BILL AFTER YOU LEAVE

Under the conditions of your tenancy agreement, you have a responsibility to leave your property in an acceptable state of repair. We may visit you to check this. If we consider your property is in an unacceptable condition, you may be prevented from moving or be recharged for work.

To avoid getting an unwelcome bill, follow these rules:

- Repair any damage caused to the property by you, your family or visitors to your home.
- Make good any changes you have made to your property e.g. put back any doors that you have removed.
- Make sure your garden is not overgrown and you have cleared all garden waste.
- Clear all your items from the inside and the outside of the property. This includes any loft space, external cupboards or sheds.
- Return all the keys to the Royal Borough's offices no later than midday on Monday (or Tuesday if it is a Bank Holiday). You will be charged a further week's rent if you do not return your keys on time.

If you leave repairs that are your responsibility, or items that require disposal you will be charged the cost of this work.

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The Royal Borough offers a Special Collection Service for tenants who are moving and want to dispose of something big and bulky, like a sofa or a fridge, and even unwanted clothes and other textiles.

Simply contact Waste Services on 020 8921 4661 and tell them where you live and what you would like taken away.

Items we will collect include:

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Items we DO NOT collect include:

Fitted kitchens, bathroom suites, boilers, sheds, fences and rubble.

For further information, please contact Waste Services on **020 8921 4661.**

Please leave your home in a good condition!

This is what happened to the homes advertised in issue 405

Address	Bed-rooms	Property Type	No of Bids	Reg date of successful app	Band
Chapter House Federation Road SE2 0LS	2	FLAT	346	28/05/2013	B
Fox Hollow Close SE18	3	HOUSE	542	20/05/2013	B
Freemantle House Dowells Street SE10 9FE	1	FLAT	635	04/08/2011	A
Wickham Lane SE2 0XN	3	PARLOUR HSE	622	12/02/2013	B
Jubilee Court Thames Street SE10 9FH	1	FLAT	651	28/10/2013	A
Gooding House Valley Grove SE7 8AT	3	FLAT	427	19/12/2011	B
Marble House Felspar Close SE18 1LN	2	FLAT	197	14/04/2003	A
Harvey Gardens SE7 8AJ	3	MAISONETTE	514	21/02/2011	A
Phineas Pett Road SE9 6RH	3	HOUSE		To be allocated	
Ruddstreet Close SE18 6RP	1	FLAT	553	08/09/2011	B
Fuchsia Street SE2 0SZ	2	MAISONETTE	356	30/04/2012	B
Brentwood House Portway Gardens SE18 4PQ	1	FLAT	419	21/07/2014	A
Middle Park Avenue SE9 5QN	1	FLAT	426	26/06/2014	B
Middle Park Avenue SE9 5QP	0	FLAT	208	04/02/2010	C
Woodhill SE18 5HW	2	FLAT	330	20/11/2013	B
St Johns Park SE3 7TG	1	FLAT	444	17/05/2010	C
Heavitree Road SE18 7RB	2	MAISONETTE	300	08/01/2014	B
Macey House Thames Street SE10 9DH	2	FLAT	331	22/10/2013	B
Poplar Place Manorway SE28 8BA	1	FLAT	262	16/05/1997	C
Riverdale Road Plumstead SE18 1PB	2	FLAT	297	15/04/2014	B
Blenheim House Hardinge Crescent SE18 6TD	2	FLAT		withdrawn	
Eastcombe Avenue SE7 7LW	1	FLAT	472	27/06/1977	B
Vernham Road SE18 3EZ	2	FLAT	341	04/09/2012	B
Spray Street Woolwich SE18 6AG	3	FLAT		withdrawn	
Berthon Street Deptford SE8 3EB	1	FLAT	455	10/07/2014	B
Fletching Road SE7 8UH	1	FLAT	314	12/08/2008	C
Mervyn Court Tormount Road SE18 1QQ	1	FLAT	247	17/11/2010	C

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A guide to Making Representations is available from the Traffic Commissioner's office.

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE – BORTHWICK STREET

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order to allow water supply connection to new development in Borthwick Street, SE18 as requested by (Cappagh 7 Morrison Utilities). The effect of the Order would be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering, exiting, proceeding or waiting (including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading) in Borthwick Street, Greenwich.
2. The above restrictions would only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. The Order would come into force on 29th September 2014 and would continue in force for up to two weeks or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner.
4. Whilst the prohibitions remain in force, affected vehicles would be diverted via the A200 Creek Road and Waterpace Street; and the A200 Creek Road, Gannon Street, Savidge and Deighton Green respectively.
5. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 6340.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
The Woolwich Centre,
35 Wellington Street,
SE18 6HQ
Dated 8th September 2014
(JUNIOR/ART/INTEGRITY)



Correction

LAST week's Pic Spot featuring Greenwich and Bexley Community Hospice volunteer John Batchelor planting poppies mistakenly said the event was at London Bridge. It should have said the Tower of London, where John spent time laying the poppies.

Community market table top sale

ART Plumstead will be hosting felt-making workshops during a table top sale this weekend.

Plumstead Table Top Market takes place on Saturday September 13, from 11am - 3pm at St Mark's Hall, Old Mill Road. The event will include arts, crafts and local voluntary groups. Visit www.plumsteadcommunitymarket.wordpress.com

Royal Borough of Greenwich Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (AS AMENDED) Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)(England) Order 2010 Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (AS AMENDED) Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990 (AS AMENDED) Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) Regulations 2007 (AS AMENDED)

Notice is hereby given that application(s) have been made to The Royal Borough of Greenwich in respect of the under mentioned premises/sites. You can see the submissions and any plans during the hours of 9.00am to 5.30pm Monday to Friday and 9.00am to 5.00pm on Saturday at:

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Also at <http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/planning> or at the library shown between normal opening hours.

If development proposals affect Conservation Areas and/or Statutorily Listed Buildings under the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Area) Act 1990 (As Amended) this will be shown within the item below. Anyone who wishes to comment on these applications should be made in writing to Development Planning within 21 days of the date of this notice.

Please quote the appropriate reference number.

Date: 09/09/2014

Mike Hays - Chief Planning Officer

Publicity For Planning Applications

Applicant: Mr B Stern Keepmoat
83A WESTCOMBE PARK ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7QS
Development: Installation of replacement timber windows and doors.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: WESTCOMBE PARK

Applicant: Mr Brian Stern
83B WESTCOMBE PARK ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7QS
Development: Installation of replacement timber windows and doors.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: WESTCOMBE PARK

Applicant: Mr L Windermuth-Wolfson
43 ST JOHNS PARK, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7JW
Development: Installation of replacement double glazed timber windows.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: BLACKHEATH

Applicant: Mrs Covington
3 REYNOLDS PLACE, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 8SX
Development: Erection of a single storey rear extension and construction of a two storey side extension.
Library: East Greenwich Library, Woolwich Road SE10 0BL
Conservation Area: RECTORY FIELD

Applicant: Ms S McIntosh
9 COLLEGE APPROACH, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 9HY
Development: Change of use of Basement from Retail (A1) to Pet Grooming (G1 General).
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 0NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH

Applicant: Mr Mark Flander Blackheath Sports Club
BARBARIANS BAR, BLACKHEATH RUGBY CLUB, THE RECTORY FIELD, CHARLTON ROAD, CHARLTON, LONDON, SE7 7EY
Development: Retention and refurbishment of single storey building.
Library: East Greenwich Library, Woolwich Road SE10 0BL
Conservation Area: adjacent to Rectory Field

Applicant: Mr S Kohn
26 OLD MILL ROAD, PLUMSTEAD, LONDON, SE18 1QE
Development: Demolition of existing garage, formation of a left concrete including the erection of a rear corner window together with the construction of a single storey rear and side extension and installation of wooden gates.
Library: Plumstead Library, Plumstead High Street SE18 1JL
Conservation Area: PLUMSTEAD COMMON

Applicant: Royal Greenwich Asset Management
23A COLERAINE ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7PF
Development: Installation of replacement UPVC windows.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: WESTCOMBE PARK

Applicant: Ms C Franks
1 WEST YARD, GUILDFORD GROVE, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8PD
Development: Construction of an additional storey and replacement of existing windows and doors.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 0NN
Conservation Area: KIRBYNSHAM TRIANGLE

14/1722/F **Applicant:** Mrs A Hughes
17 PRIORY PARK, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 9UY
Development: Construction of single storey rear extension, alterations to the height and pitch of the roof, extension of front porch, installation of rooflights, Juliet balcony, doors and windows and formation of terrace with steps to rear garden.
Library: Eltham Library, 2 Ardery Road SE9 1HK
Conservation Area: BLACKHEATH PARK

14/1723/F **Applicant:** Mr S Stirling
55 COLERAINE ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7PF
Development: Construction of a single storey rear and rear and side extension.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: WESTCOMBE PARK

14/2048/F **Applicant:** Mr S Morris
13 TRINITY GROVE, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8TE
Development: Construction of single storey side extension and rear conservatory.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 0NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH

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14/2260/F **Applicant:** Mr A Adeyinka
93B BLACKHEATH HILL, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8TJ
Development: Installation of a secondary glazing system, replacement of timber staircase to basement, revised basement layout and modification of existing brick walls to make them operable.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 0NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH

14/2091/F **Applicant:** Lakelhouse Contracts Ltd
WOODHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL, WOODHILL, WOOLWICH, LONDON, SE18 5JE
Development: Alterations and addition of pipes, radiators and vents to the external face of the building together with internal alterations of the ground floor reception area previously granted Listed Building Consent dated 22nd January 2014 (Ref: 13/2244/L).
Library: Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, Woolwich, SE18 6QT
Conservation Area: Grade 2

14/2169/F **Applicant:** Dr A Sadraei - English Heritage
ELTHAM PALACE, COURT YARD, ELTHAM, LONDON, SE9 5QE
Development: Removal of modern paint layers and wall paper to reveal 1530s maps and installation of a protective glass screen in the Map Room.
Library: Eltham Library, Eltham High Street SE9 2HA
Conservation Area: ELTHAM PALACE
Conservation Area: Grade 2*

14/2175/F **Applicant:** Mr R Faithfull Greenwich Foundation
OLD ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE, KING WILLIAM WALK, GREENWICH, SE10
Development: Installation of 5 temporary vinyl railing barriers.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 0NN
Conservation Area: GREENWICH PARK



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Divine leads Harriers' rise

Four Starting Blocks-supported youngsters win national athletics age-group medals

by Ian Lamont

FOUR Cambridge Harriers who have support from Greenwich Starting Blocks won medals in their age-groups at the England AAA U15/U17 Championships in Bedford.

They were led by shot putter Divine Oladipo, whose 14.40 metre throw earned gold and the under-17 championship record.

She said: "It was a good distance. I had hoped for more, but it was great to win."

She had been feeling under the weather, which affected her discus performance in the morning, as she headed to the Sainsbury's UK School Games at the weekend reflecting on a fantastic year.

"English Schools was the highlight, of everything I've done just to improve since last year," said Divine, having thrown 14.92m to win in Birmingham in July.

The other gold medallist in Bedford was Heather Butcher, who took gold in the under-17 5,000 metre walk in 26 minutes 22.13 seconds.

Vera Chinedu, from Charlton, equalled her personal best of 12.23 seconds to take under-15 silver over 100 metres, while Tobì Ogunjimi, from Thamesmead, continued his fine progress by going under 22 seconds for the first time over 200 metres. Both are trained by Mark Lancaster.

He did so twice during the course of the competition – which included rounds and final – winning bronze in 21.84 seconds.

One of the Harriers coaches, Mick Bond, said: "Vera did very well last year and won the national indoor version over 60 metres in the winter and has progressed this year. She's very dedicated and trains hard."

"Divine dabbled with sprinting last year and still does a little bit of running for the team."

"But when I was training her last year it seemed obvious she could be a thrower and I encouraged her to do it more."

"She has been very focused on that and has broken the club record, which has stood for 30 years, four or five times this year."

The results came at the end of a hugely successful season for the Sutcliffe Park-based club, whose under-20s team won promotion to the Southern Premier League.

Mick said: "We'll be competing against the top teams in the south – and they are the ones who are the best in the country. We're looking forward to it."

The club is one of the few around who has junior walkers, numbering about eight, under coach Noel Carmody. "Traditionally we have done really well and sent people to the Olympics," reflected Mick.

Heather, 16, sister Evie, 13, and Indigo Burgin, 15, are three young walkers supported by Starting Blocks, a charity which supports athletes with potential in Olympic and Paralympic sports with benefits ranging from free gym membership to, in some cases, bursaries to help with travel, training and equipment.

● For more information visit www.greenwichstartingblocks.org



WINNER: Divine Oladipo (centre) struck gold at the England Championships in the under-17 shot putt

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